

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 745

By Yarbro

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Cora Lee Eads Weeks
on the celebration of her eightieth birthday.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly pays tribute to those exemplary
individuals who are celebrating special occasions in their estimable lives; and

WHEREAS, Cora Lee Eads Weeks is one such extraordinary person, who will celebrate
her eightieth birthday on April 6, 2018, a milestone that will be commemorated as yet another
precious souvenir of life's rich pageant; and

WHEREAS, born Cora Lee Eads in Winfield, Alabama, she was the fifth child and first
daughter of Grover Washington Eads and Flora Lee Couch Eads; she was welcomed and
adored by her four older brothers and her loving parents and, later, by a younger sister; and

WHEREAS, a lifelong resident of Winfield, Ms. Weeks graduated from Winfield High
School in 1956; and

WHEREAS, on July 1, 1956, Cora Lee Eads was joined in holy matrimony with Bobby
Clay Weeks; this joyous couple were blessed with two children and enjoyed forty-nine years of
wedded bliss before being separated only by his death in 2005; and

WHEREAS, born with a strong and determined work ethic, Ms. Weeks was employed in
the law offices of Murray Cobb Hollis and at Continental Conveyor before accepting the position
of secretary at First Baptist Church Winfield; and

WHEREAS, a lifelong member of First Baptist Church Winfield, Ms. Weeks has been
employed by her Church for more than forty years in this position, and she continues to work
there part time to this day; and

WHEREAS, at eighty years young, Ms. Weeks is still an active, essential, and vibrant
part of her Church, her community, and her group of friends; her friends and family know that

they can count on her for love and support, correction and confidence, and advice and inspiration; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Weeks is a member of the Booklovers Club of Winfield and the First Baptist Church Keenagers; she is an avid crossword puzzle enthusiast and enjoys jigsaw puzzles and word jumbles; and

WHEREAS, Cora Lee Eads Weeks is perhaps most appreciative of the love and support of her children, Darlene Weeks (Herb) Brown and Thomas Edward (Darla) Weeks, and her two grandchildren, Coral Virginia Brown and Dulcy Jordan Brown; and

WHEREAS, we wish to grasp this golden opportunity to specially recognize a very wonderful person on this very special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Cora Lee Eads Weeks on the celebration of her eightieth birthday and extend to her our best wishes for many happy returns of the day.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.